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SUMMER CLOTHING.

J. R. RACE & CO.

Having received a large and well selected stock of

Boys', Youth's and Children's Suits,

At an UNPRECEDENTEDLY LOW PRICE, are prepared to give extra bargains. We have manufactured a Large Line of MEN'S SUITS, and we sell them at prices that DEFY COMPETITION.

OUR HAT DEPARTMENT IS COMPLETE!

Having just received the Latest Nobby Styles.

Our Neckwear and Gents' Furnishing Goods Department

Embraces all the Latest Novelties. Also

White and Fancy Shirts

IN ENDLESS VARIETY.

Our Merchant Tailoring Department!

Continues to be an important factor in our business. We have received a large line of the Latest Styles Suitings, and are prepared to give you a PERFECT FITTING GARMENT at a living price. We are now making

BUSINESS SUITS AT THE LOW PRICE OF \$25.00 CASSIMERE PANTS FOR 5.00

And last, but not least, we would call the attention of engineers, firemen, brakemen, etc., to our NOBBY OVERSUITS, at the low price of \$1.75.

Examine our stock and prices, and be convinced that we mean what we say.

J. R. RACE & CO.

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UNDERTAKERS

And Dealers in all kinds of

COFFINS, Metallic Burial Cases and Caskets.

Southwest Corner Old Square

DECATUR, ILL.

Residence, No. 18 West William street.

June 4-1879.

A. D. MYER.

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MYER & SON,

HOUSE AND SIGN

PAINTERS!

SPECIALTIES:

Decorating, Graining, Gilding, Fresco
ing and Tinting.

SHOP—North Side of the City Park, over
next market, Decatur, Illinois.

March 20-1879.

SAND, GRAVEL —AND—

COBBLE STONE,

By the Yard or Carload.

FOR SALE BY

J. IMBODEN

Decatur, Ill., May 6, 1879—d&wft

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss

Macon County Circuit Court.

John R. Hatcher vs. al., Executrix etc. vs.

Fidelia E. Spangler vs. al., Foreclosure No. 1072.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in

pursuance of a decree of court entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May Term, A. D. 1879, by John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court,

Wednesday, the 6th day of August,

A. D. 1879.

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the West door of the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situated in the city of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. seven (7) in Block No. five (5), in the First Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur, Illinois, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

John A. Brown,

Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.

T. A. McDonald, Solicitor for Compt'l.

July 14—1879.

For Harper's Bazar, in

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News-Advertiser.com

It is now thought that the news of the death of their daughter cannot reach Gen. and Mrs. Grant until their arrival in San Francisco next month, and that the funeral will probably take place in Washington, as soon as the stricken parents are ready to go.

THE Sprague-Conkling scandal still holds the boards," the latest feature being an interview with the lady in question, in which she details the particulars of the difficulty at a banquet. The story as told by Miss Sprague differs somewhat from that which has been current for the past week, but fully justifies the conclusion that her husband was crazy drunk at the time, and that he made a sad exhibition of himself on that memorable occasion. But the strangest part of all this sad business is that so much sound has been talked and noted at, while not a single witness has been produced to prove that there is any more foundation for the great "hobby" than the idle gossip of people who have only their suspicion to fall back upon when evidence is called for.

TAXES is something rotten in the government of a country where riots, such as have been disgracing Canada for years past, are permitted to occur. The rioters are not so much to blame as the men who are paid for preserving the peace and stimulating in the public mind a wholesome fear and respect for the law of the land.

MR. STANLEY BENJAMIN, it is stated by the New Orleans *Democrat*, has recently bought a beautiful Parisian residence for the comfortable sum of cash of \$300,000 francs. It is added that this large sum does not exceed one-half of his yearly income from his practice in the English courts. The Southern journal recalls the fact that Mr. Benjamin, fourteen years ago, after the dispersion of the Confederate Government, tramped on foot from Central Georgia to Florida, and escaped in an open boat to Nassau, with a single ten-dollar gold piece in his pocket, which he gave to the negro who rowed the little boat. He used to profess an unchanged sympathy with and devotion to his Louisiana friends, and to look forward enthusiastically to reviving the state and those old friends.

The editor of the Democratic situation in the East, it is not hard to predict, in New York the Democrats will repudiate Governor Robinson and all the present state officers except Lieut. Governor Dorschimer, whose place will be taken by ex-Congressman Potter. Tammany Hall will not bolt. Tilden has the state perfectly in hand, and will be nominated for president (if he lives) almost without opposition—possibly by acclamation. We may add, for the benefit of the initiated, that if any one will take the trouble to trace to their origin all these stories of local uprisings, the Alabama repudiation, Tilden and his friends for the divinely-gifted Smith, how Tilden is losing ground in Arkansas, which will be for the pure and peaceful Jones all the time, and so down the roll of states, he will be surprised, if not edified, to find that they have their square—well, that would be telling; but isn't it just curious that none of these states happen to support any one who could seriously contest the convention with the uncle of his nephew.—*Chicago Tribune*.

THE lazy, idly-soked loafer and his boor companion and friend, the loud-mouthed demagogue, are still holding meetings and passing resolutions. The honest, sober, and industrious workingmen can find plenty of work, and he is at work, making a comfortable living for his family, something which the drunken agitator and loud-mouthed demagogue have never been able to do. The day is fast approaching when those two worse upon the body politic, the lazy, rum-soaked loafer and the loud-mouthed demagogue, will be spurned by all honest men, and that time can not come too soon. There is more credit due, and more honor belongs to the man who quietly attends to his business, providing his wife and children with shoes and stockings, and clothes and food, and making his little home, no matter how humble it may be, comfortable for his family, than to the noisy politician, the raving lunatic, the blind enthusiast, the miserable, contemptible, parasitical demagogue, though all combined, they succeed in bringing down disorder, riot and bloodshed upon the country—which is the consummation that they devoutly wish for.—*Chicago News*.

We still have a few large-sized best Serge Silk Sun Umbrellas, with handsome handles, and to close them out have marked best 24-inch, largest size, \$1.75; best 22-inch, \$1.50. None of these umbrellas are worth less than \$0.00 and some \$4.00 and \$4.50. We also have a few more very choice bargains in our Dress Goods and other departments. All wishing to make a profitable investment will see the importance of calling without delay at Lauer & Co.'s Popular New York store.

Aug. 13-d&wtf

FRENCH FRATERS for sale at Lauer & Co.'s Popular New York store.

[Nov. 23-d&wtf]

TELEGRAPHIC FEVER NEWS.

Washington Gossip.

What Springer told Tilden.

THE CRIMINAL BUDGET.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 16.—But one new case was reported to the board of health up to noon—Barnst P. Leake. Seven deaths have occurred since last night.

9 p. m.—Twenty-one cases in all were reported to the board of health to day, fourteen of whom are colored. Among the whites are W. H. Ennis, Anton Franklin, Mrs. S. E. Butler and Cordelia Atwood. No deaths since noon. All the prominent sick are doing well to-night.

An experienced yellow fever nurse was telegraphed for to-day to go to Bailey Station, Tennessee, twenty miles east, on the Memphis & Charleston railroad.

Another case of yellow fever has been developed at White Haven, Tenn.—a child of A. L. Gaff, ticket agent.

There have been about four hundred and seventy-five cases to date, one hundred and fifty of which proved fatal. Physicians are of the opinion that the mortality will not be greater than 25 per cent, some doubting it reaching that high figure.

Colored patients seem to yield more readily to treatment than the whites.—The record for the past week shows that seventy-five of their number were prostrated with disease, only twelve being fatal. A few who were taken sick were out in ten days after the symptoms first made their appearance. Of those that die in most instances, the cause is attributed to indiscretion in satisfying the appetite by partaking of certain food which always proves fatal to yellow fever patients.

Contributions from absent Memphisans continue coming in, and it is believed aid will not be solicited from persons not directly connected with the city's interests.

The weather to-day is remarkably cool and serves to check the fever, while it has a damaging effect upon patients who were beyond the hopes of recovery, but who might have lingered a few days longer had it not been for the sudden change. There has been really no case of fever originating to-day. Barnst Leake was reported to the board of health this morning as being sick, but his friends say he was ill yesterday and should have been taken to bed. His attack is a slight one, and can easily be resisted.

The editor of the exchange did not mean to improve upon the old adage, but the compositor was an original sort of fellow, and it appeared in the paper, "It's a poor mule that won't work both ways." The statement seems a little startling at first, but a little reflection will show that the compositor was a philosopher.

Notice.

The Singer Manufacturing Company having instituted a suit in the Circuit Court of the U. S. for the Western District of Pennsylvania, against the under-signed, to enjoin them from the sale of Bogus Sewing Machines, calling the same "Singers," and from the use of the name "Singer" in all transactions relating to our business, and we being satisfied that the use of said name is an infringement of the rights of the said Singer Manufacturing Company, and a deception on the public, we hereby notify the public that we have ceased to sell Sewing Machines advertised by us as "Singer" Machines, and will not again sell them, and that we have never been employed by the Singer Manufacturing Company as agents for the sale of their Machines, and that the Machines heretoforesold by us as "Singer" Machines were not manufactured by The Singer Manufacturing Company but are the make commonly known as the Bogus.

F. S. MALY & CO.

Aug. 13-d&wtf

CAREFULLY AVOID THE USE of rasping cathartics. They weaken the bowels and leave them worse off than before. Use instead, that non-irritating aperient and anti-bilious medicine, Dr. Morris' VENUSITABLE LIVER PILLS, which will not only achieve the desired object, relaxation of the bowels, without causing pain or weakening them, but promote digestion and assimilation and depurate the blood. The pills are sold by S. M. Irwin, the Liver Druggist.

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The board of officers appointed to correct certain disputed points in connection with the battle of Chickamauga will also correct any differences respecting the actual positions of troops in the battle of Stone River, Tennessee.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

SEE the wonderful tubular lamp at E. Bartholomew & Co.'s china store. It is the only powerful and effective lamp for all places and all purposes.

GRAPES are plentiful.

LAST week of the teachers' institute.

LUSTRE costs at B. Stine's 21¢-sf

PRALINE chickens are selling in Decatur at \$3 a dozen.

The camp-meeting Sunday excursion was a success.

ALL the Decatur firemen are making active preparations for the coming state tournament.

BEAUTIFUL wall paper at Abel & Locke's cheaper than ever.

MACON COUNTY farmers are training their hounds, and jolliest and fastest pigs for the coming fair.

LEAVES orders at W. C. Armstrong's drug store for Ben Taylor's new carriage.

A FULL attendance of the Good Templars is requested at the regular meeting of the lodge to-night.

GAME in season at Niedermeyer's, on the mound.

The journeymen cigar-makers of Saint Louis are striving to inaugurate a general strike among the fraternity in that city. They demand an increase of wages.

FISH HATS, for ladies and misses, at Miss A. Miller's, on Merchant street.

THREE horses that won money at the Sullivan fair last week spent Sunday at Hardy Bros.' livery stable. They were taken to Jacksonville to-day.

ALL styles of new carpet goods, all prices, at Abel & Locke's, on East Main street.

LAST week a hungry bovine on North Church street choked to death on a peach-blown potato. She was the property of Mr. E. B. Pratt.

The date of Francis Murphy's lecture at the tabernacle, in this city, has been changed from Sept. 11th to Monday, Sept. 15th.

If there is any one thing that will make an editor feel proud of his profession, it is to see his paper scalloped and hanging over the cupboard shelf. It shows so emphatically what an indispensable article is the family paper.

The "Telephone," sold only at W. C. Armstrong's drug store, is a military nickel cigar.

JEROME CURTIS had two plain drunks before him Saturday and to-day. On Saturday afternoon he fined a Kentuckian \$5 and costs, arrested by Bird for walking on the grass in the city park.

DECATOR No. 4, I. O. G. T., will meet in this city on Thursday and Friday of the present week. The meetings will be held in Good Templars' hall in court-house block.

THESE COMMUNISTIC BOYS who have been stealing watermelons from Will Dilettant's farm, one mile north of the city, are warned that they will be put in jail and prosecuted, if they continue their depredations.

THE STATE Y. M. C. A. convention will be held in Decatur next week, commencing on the afternoon of Thursday, August 29th. The State W. G. T. U. convention will convene in this city Sept. 17th.

THE LADIES FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY of the First M. E. church, will hold their regular monthly sociable at the residence of Mr. Silas Packard, Tuesday evening. All are invited to attend.

MR. L. J. HALSTED is entitled to our thanks for the handsomest collection of cut flowers we have seen this season. The lot embraces roses of several varieties, gladioli, geraniums, balsams, coleus, etc.

THE "S. B. from Oregon" was at the camp meeting yesterday, but nobody would have suspected his relationship to the canine race, or even the place of his residence, if he had not taken the trouble to announce both so frequently and so loudly.

ALWAYS remember that you can ride to the depot in the St. Nick bus for five cents. Orders left at the hotel for the carriage will receive prompt attention.

HARRY HOLMES got his mad up again Saturday evening and banged away at Capt. Minckley's auctioneer on Merchant street, giving him the blackest eye ever placed on exhibition. No arrests. Can anybody tell why?

LILLA is the bright, particular star at the National Sangerfest at Toledo this week. She will sing at the opera house, in Decatur, Aug. 28th. Tickets will be on sale at Abbott's jewelry store Thursday morning, 21st.

TALKING Temperance.

The usual temperance meeting was held at the tabernacle last Saturday evening. The principal address was delivered by Dr. J. R. Goodwin, of Brooklyn, Ind., a brother of the pastor of the First Methodist church, this city. His remarks seemed to interest the audience, and were in the main a partial repetition of all that has been said under the tabernacle roof for the past two years. He is for temperance in all things, and believes the people ought to be educated to work for the enactment of a prohibitory law such as is now in force in Maine. He was followed by D. L. Bunn, who made a stirring appeal to the people to stand up for the temperance cause at all times, and not be discouraged because a few reformed men fall by the way. Buckle on the armor anew, try to reclaim the fallen ones and work faithfully for the reclamation and reformation of the weaker ones still slaves to their cups. An invitation was extended to all who had not yet done so to come forward and sign the pledge. The Rev. Dr. Goodwin made brief remarks and the audience was dismissed with the benediction.

FOR REST.—Two nicely furnished rooms on second floor in a new dwelling house almost opposite the Decatur high school, on East North street. Enquire of Mrs. W. H. Fanning, on the premises.

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THE ENEMY OF MAN.

Synopsis of a Sermon Delivered by Rev. N. S. Haynes Last Evening.

A GENTLE tramp, named A. S. Collins, played it fine on Mrs. Holmes, of the American House, on Saturday evening. He called there and wanted accommodations. He had no money, but said he had a job of work in Decatur, and would pay up as soon as he got his pay. He talked well and honestly, but Mrs. Holmes wasn't doing business that way, and she told Collins to bring an order from his employer. The would-be boarder departed, and after a short absence returned with an order from "Wane Bros." written on a leaf from a small pocket account book. He was given a room and got his breakfast Sunday morning. Then it was discovered that the order was a forgery, from the very fact that the carriage makers certainly knew how to spell their own name. They were interviewed, and they unhesitatingly pronounced the order a forgery. Collins was arrested by Officer Wilson, searched, and lodged in the county jail. He was brought before Justice Peake-to-day, but as no one appeared against him on the charge of forgery, he was discharged.

REV. L. FIELD occupied the pulpit of the U. B. church yesterday at both services. The evening discourse, "The Demonic Healed," was particularly earnest and impressive. The lessons drawn from this miracle of the Savior were worthy of the thoughtful attention of all.—Christ's power and aid are extended to suffering, tempted and tried now, to as great an extent as in the days of the Apostles. In conclusion the speaker remarked that, in order fully to conquer the "Devon," intemperance, reformed men should become active Christian workers. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was then administered by the elder and the pastor.

SHERIFF FORSTMAYER, assisted by Deputy Marshal Wilson and Policeman Flynn, made a raid on disorderly characters at Imboden's Springs Sunday night at eight o'clock. Alfred Robinson, four negroes and a lot of lewd women were holding a lawn sociable there, but it was plainly apparent to the officers that the parties had no regard for the proprieties. Robinson and the negroes were arrested and brought up town. Robinson, who is a stranger here, was put in jail, and the negroes released. It is the purpose of the officers to thin the ranks of the evildoers at the Springs and in that immediate vicinity, and they will swoop down on them every night until further notice.

VOLTURNO's latest victory at Saratoga, on the 15th, was thus reported in a special dispatch to the Chicago Times: "Next was a mile-and-a-quarter dash. There were three starters. Powers & Sons' Volturno, from Decatur, Ills., was the favorite, at \$500 to \$340 for Gov. Hampton and Mary Ann. Gov. Hampton led most of the distance, with Volturno waiting on him. In the last quarter Volturno slowly crept up, gaining inch by inch without being driven, and, in front of the start, went in the lead and won. The finish was very interesting. Time, 2:10."

ON invitation of Mr. John Wells, a worthy member of Progressive Lodge No. 28, I. O. G. T., about 40 colored people yesterday assembled in a pleasant grove on Capt. Allen's place two miles south of the city, and passed the day very agreeably. All feasted on "water-millions" and ice cream, and joined in songs suitable to the day and occasion. Mr. Wells' hospitable treatment will long be remembered by his friends with the pleasant recollections.

CROCHETING of all kinds, such as ladies' shawls, children's ulsters, coats and hooded, and everything in that line will be done at Goldberg's, on West Wood street. In addition to the above, hoop-skirts and pantaloons, for ladies and misses, made to order in the latest styles. Leaves orders with Miss Lizzie Litterer, at the Cheap Store, 18 Merchant street.

Aug. 12—d&wif.

THE ANNUAL STATE CAMP MEETING of the Methodist Church will convene at Patterson Springs, near Camargo, Ills., commencing Sept. 4th and continuing ten days. An effort is being made to secure the attendance of Moody, the great evangelist. The I. D. & S. R.Y. will run excursion trains to the grounds every day during the session.

WILL WAYNE, the ingenious artist at the "Keystone Carriage Works," has just finished a gorgeously colored sign for Amos Imboden's cigar store on North Water street. The characters are very life-like, and attract the attention and genuine admiration of everybody passing by.

A BEAUTIFUL selection of chromos, just came in; they are splendidly framed, very artistic and cheap—at the Cheap Store.

Aug. 1—d&wif.

THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL has declared a three per cent. semi-annual dividend, payable Monday, Sept. 21st.

TALKING Temperance.

Vice Presidents Foster and Secretary Christie went to Peoria Friday, meeting with President Boynton and Vice President White, on arrangements for the State Tournament. They report in all seventy-one entries for the different prizes, and every prospect for a huge time. The parade this year will differ from previous ones, being had on one street, (Adams), and the line counter marching, that the firemen, as well as citizens, may be able to take in the whole show. The track is not so good as any one used in former tournaments, and exceedingly fast time is not expected; but, of course, all run on the same track, and therefore the chances are equal.

A Chapter on Corsets.

Our corsets cannot be excelled in quality. Our corsets are equal to any that are sold in these parts. Our corsets are cheaper than the same grade of goods were ever before offered. We have a large and varied assortment of corsets to take in the fall. Buckle on the armor anew, try to reclaim the fallen ones and work faithfully for the reclamation and reformation of the weaker ones still slaves to their cups. An invitation was extended to all who had not yet done so to come forward and sign the pledge. The Rev. Dr. Goodwin made brief remarks and the audience was dismissed with the benediction.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

DIED.

At La Place, Ill., August 16, 1879, of dropsy, MRS. ANN CATHERINE, wife of D. Espy, formerly of Decatur.

The funeral took place on Sunday last. For almost a year the deceased was a very great sufferer, but bore it with wonderful fortitude, Christian cheerfulness and sub-

"Why should our tears in sorrow flow
When God reveals his own?
And bids them leave a world of woe,
For an immortal crown?"

Then let our sorrows cease to flow;
God has revealed his own.
And let our hearts, in every woe,
Still say—"They will be done."

In this city, on Saturday evening, Aug. 16th, 1879, at 8 o'clock, MRS. SARAH J. CLARK, wife of James W. Clark, aged 24 years.

The deceased had been ill for a long time with consumption. She leaves a husband and four children.

Notice,

The committee appointed to procure a portrait of the late Judge Gallagher will please meet at the office of the County Judge on Wednesday evening, August 20th, at 8 o'clock. The following gentlemen comprise the committee: H. Crea, J. M. Clokey, R. J. Oglesby, J. R. Mosser, W. B. Chambers, Dr. Ira N. Barnes, A. T. Hill, B. K. Durfee, M. Forstmyer, John Dineen, F. L. Hayes.

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dousious of getting the best goods for the least money, should not forget that we give our entire attention to and deal exclusively in Novelties, Hosiery, Embroideries, Laces, Corsets, Ruchings—and, in fact, have in stock every imaginable article pertaining to ladies' toilet, and ladies' and gent's furnishing goods. Our goods in every department are equal to the best in the market, and in nearly every instance from 10 to 25 per cent. cheaper than any ever quoted on these parts. No trouble to show goods or quote prices.

S. O. MORRIS & CO.,
Aug. 16—d&wif. Proprietary Cheap Store.

Attention, Veterans!

The vice presidents of the Macon Co. Veteran Association are requested to meet at the office of Treasurer Wool, in the court house, at one o'clock, p. m., on Thursday, August 21st, for the purpose of arranging for the annual meeting of said association. It is desired that every township represented, either by its vice president or some duly credited representative. By order,

JESSE H. MOORE, Pres't.

JNO. A. BARRETT, Sec'y.

Fall Goods.

In Dry Goods and Millinery, arriving now daily, at

THEO. A. GEHRMANN'S.

As I have bought my fall goods before the late advance in general dry goods, I can offer my stock at the low prices of last year, to which fact I invite my friends and the public in general to call and examine.

THEO. A. GEHRMANN.

Aug. 11—d&wif.

Look! To your own interest, and go to the Farmers' Exchange Store with your wood, grain and produce of all kinds, where you can get goods at low prices.

E. B. PRATT,

37 N. Church-st., Decatur, Ill.

May 15—d&wif.

These summer silks at 47¢ and English cashmere at 12½¢ are going fast at the Popular New York Store.

Aug. 13—d&wif.

Great Bargains in Carpets and Window Shades, at Linn & Scruggs', Jan 23—d&wif.

Mme. DEMOREST'S Reliable Patterns;

the instructive "What to Wear," 15 ct.,

and Portfolios, 15 cents, just received by Linn & Scruggs'. [mar15d&wif]

IMPORTANT TO WATER TAKERS.

Special Attention is directed to Sections 12 and 15, by the Superintendent of the Water Works.

An Ordinance Establishing a Department of the City Government entitled "Water Works Department," and for Establishing Rates of the Water Works and regulating the use of the same.

Sec. 12. That it shall not be lawful for any person within said city to open, or to attempt to open, any water pipe, or any other pipe, or any valve, or any hydrant, upon any public street, lane, or alley, or hydrant, or any yard, garden or enclosure, or permit or cause the same to be done; nor upon or against any building situated upon any such street, lane, or enclosure, or any other place, except for the extinguishment of fires, or any other emergency, for the extinguishment of fires, or any other emergency, for the extinguishment of fires, or any other emergency, for the extinguishment of fires, or any other emergency, for the extinguishment of

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